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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

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Serial Number: 09/449,575

Examiner: Dzung D. Tran

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING DESTINATION-TO-SOURCE
PROTECTION SWITCH SETUP IN OPTICAL NETWORK TOPOLOGIES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2002, for three (3) month(s) from January 1, 2003, to April 1, 2003.


Enclosed is a check in the amount of Nine Hundred Sixty Six Dollars (\$966.00) to cover the cost of the extension fee of \$930.00 and the additional claim fee of \$36.00. In the event that this check is found to be insufficient, or if any additional fees are due with respect to the filing of this paper, please charge Counsel's Deposit Account Number 50-2222.

Respectfully submitted,

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